AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- (Currently Amended) A multicomponent system—which consists of or comprises at least the following components comprising:
 - (I) at least one water-in-oil dispersion comprising water and at least one water-soluble and/or water-dispersible, oligomeric and/or polymeric binder (A) having at least two isocyanate-reactive functional groups in solution and/or dispersion in at least one organic solvent;
 - (II) at least one water-free liquid component which consists of or comprises comprising at least one polyisocyanate (B); and
 - (III) water or at least one aqueous component-which comprises comprising at least one binder (A) in dispersion and/or solution in water.
- (Currently Amended) The multicomponent system as claimed in claim 1, wherein the water-in-oil dispersion (I) has a water content < 40% of less than 40% by weight.
- 3. (Currently Amended) A process for preparing a multicomponent system, comprising: as claimed in claim 1 or 2 from a multicomponent system which comprises at least mixing a portion of at least one component (III) with at least one component (I') to give at least one water-in-oil dispersion (I).
 - wherein the component (I') comprises at least one water-free liquid component which comprises at least one water-soluble and/or water-dispersible, oligomeric and/or polymeric binder (A) having at least two isocyanate-reactive functional groups in solution and/or dispersion in at least one organic solvent;

- wherein the component (II) comprises at least one water-free liquid component which consists of or comprises comprising at least one polyisocyanate (B); and
- wherein the component (III) comprises water or at least one aqueous component which comprises comprising at least one binder (A) in dispersion and/or solution in water; water.

which comprises mixing a portion of at least one component (III) with at least one component (I') to give at least one water in oil dispersion (I).

- (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in claim 3, wherein a portion of the at least one component (III) is mixed manually with the at least one component (I').
- 5. (Currently Amended) A process for preparing an oil-in-water dispersion curable thermally or both thermally and with actinic radiation, which comprises using a multicomponent system which consists of or comprises at least the following components comprising:
 - (I) at least one water-free liquid component which comprises comprising at least one water-soluble and/or water-dispersible, oligomeric and/or polymeric binder (A) having at least two isocyanate-reactive functional groups in solution and/or dispersion in at least one organic solvent;
 - (II) at least one water-free liquid component which consists of or comprises comprising at least one polyisocyanate (B); and
 - (III) water or at least one aqueous component which comprises comprising at least one polymeric binder (A) in dispersion and/or solution in water;

where <u>the</u> at least one component (I'), <u>the</u> at least one component (II), and <u>the</u> at least one component (III) are mixed with one another and where

- (1) a portion of <u>the</u> at least one component (III) is mixed with <u>the</u> at least one component (I') to give at least one water-in-oil dispersion (I),
- (2) the <u>at least one water-in-oil dispersion(s) dispersion (I)</u> is or are mixed with at least one component (II), and
- (3) the resultant <u>at least one mixture(s) mixture (I/II)</u> is or are mixed with water or <u>the</u> at least one component (III) to give at least one oil-in-water dispersion.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in claim 5, wherein the <u>at least</u> one water-in-oil dispersion (I) has a water content < 40% of less than 40% by weight.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in claim 5 or 6, claim 5, wherein the mixtures (I/II) are at least one mixture (I/II) is a water-in-oil dispersions dispersion.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in one of claims 5 to 7, claim 5, wherein the process step (2) is carried out manually.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in-one of claims 5 to 8, claim 5, wherein the process step (3) is carried out manually.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The use of an oil-in-water dispersion curable thermally or both thermally and with actinic radiation and prepared by the process as claimed in any one of claims 5 to 9 of claim 5 as a coating material, adhesive or sealant for producing a coating, adhesive layer or seal.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The use of a multicomponent system as claimed in claim 1 or 2 or of a multicomponent system prepared by the process as claimed in claim 3 or 4 claim 1 for preparing an oil-in-water dispersion curable thermally or both thermally and with actinic radiation.

- 12. The use as claimed in claim 11, wherein an oil-in-water dispersion curable thermally or both thermally and with actinic radiation is used as a coating material, adhesive or sealant for producing a coating, adhesive layer or seal.
- 13. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in one of claims 10 to 12, claim 10, wherein the coating material is a clearcoat material used for producing a clearcoat.
- 14. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in one of claims 10 to 13, claim 10, wherein the coating material, adhesive or sealant is used for the coating, adhesive bonding or sealing of bodies of means of transport transport.
- 15. (New) The use as claimed in claim 14, wherein the means of transport is selected from the group consisting of means of transport operated by engine power and/or muscle power.
- 16. (New) The use as claimed in claim 15, wherein the means of transport is selected from the group consisting automobiles, trucks, buses, bicycles, rail vehicles, watercraft, aircraft, parts thereof, and constructions and parts thereof.
- 17. (New) The use as claimed in claim 10, wherein the coating material, adhesive or sealant is used for the coating, adhesive bonding or sealing an article selected from the group consisting of doors, windows, furniture, small industrial parts, mechanical components, optical components, electronic components, coils, containers, packaging, hollow glassware, and articles of everyday use.